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**Office of Cultural Affairs**  
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**Bath House**  
CULTURAL CENTER

## ***ONE THIRTY PRODUCTIONS ANNOUNCES WORLD PREMIERE***

**DALLAS** - One-Thirty Productions and the Bath House Cultural Center, in cooperation with the City of Dallas Office of Cultural Affairs, are thrilled to announce the premiere of **“The Mystery of Miz Arnette”** by the team of Alan Bailey and Ronnie Claire Edwards.

Bailey is best known for his contributions to the *Sanders Family* series of plays, which include “Smoke on the Mountain” and the heartwarming “Sanders Family Christmas,” recently produced by One Thirty Productions. Miss Edwards is well known to Dallas audiences from her association with Theatre Three, her appearances as Cora Beth Godsey on *The Waltons* television series and her collaboration with Bailey on “Wedding Belles,” which was also produced by One Thirty Productions in 2009. The production was nominated for a National Theatre Critics Forum Award as the best professional production of a new play outside New York City.

The *Mystery of Miz Arnette* is set in Oklahoma’s devastating Dust Bowl. The time is 1934 when Baby Face Nelson and Pretty Boy Floyd along with their gangs roamed the territory. Out of the desolate nowhere arrives Miz Arnette to rent the room that had been advertised and leased four months ago. With the family farm at stake and desperate for the additional income, young Floy Kate strikes a deal and takes in the intriguing stranger that would forever change her life.

Heading the cast in the title role is Dallas favorite **Cindee Mayfield**. **Sonny Franks**, well known on Metroplex stages, returns to One Thirty Productions as Floy Kate’s father, Reuben. Floy Kate is played by newcomer **Zoe Kerr**. Making his first appearance with One Thirty Productions, the popular **R. Bruce Elliot** plays Sheriff Trot, and One Thirty regular **Gene Raye Price** is cast as Oleta.

The *Mystery of Miz Arnette*, directed by Larry Randolph, opens on Wednesday, May 11th and runs through Saturday May 28, 2011. All performances start at 1:30 PM, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, at the Bath House Cultural Center, 521 E. Lawther Dr., Dallas, Texas 75218. Individual ticket prices range from \$12 to \$14. For reservations and additional information, call 214-532-1709. Group rates are available. All seats are reserved; reservations are recommended.

*One-Thirty Productions announces world premier--add one*

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**The Bath House Cultural Center** is a division of the City of Dallas Office of Cultural Affairs. The center is dedicated to fostering the growth, development and quality of multi-cultural arts within the City of Dallas. The center emphasizes innovating visual and performing arts as well as other multi-discipline events throughout the year. Funding for the Bath House Cultural Center is provided by the City of Dallas, with additional support from the Texas Commission on the Arts.

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**LOCATION AND HOURS:**

The Bath House Cultural Center is located on the eastern shore of White Rock Lake at the end of Northcliff Dr. off of Buckner Blvd. at **521 E. Lawther, Dallas, TX 75218**. Hours of operation are Tuesday-Saturday, 12:00 noon to 6:00 PM. The center is open until 10:00 PM on nights with theatre performances. For general information about cultural programs at the Bath House Cultural Center, please call (214) 670-8749 or visit the center's website at <http://www.bathhousecultural.com/>

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